**Friday 12th January**

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| **Communication and Language/Literacy**  We have focussed on 2 texts this week- ‘Polar Bear, Polar Bear, What Do You Hear?’ by Eric Carle and ‘Polar Bears’- a non-fiction book. We have been chatting about ‘what we can see in ‘At the Farm’ on Floppy’s Phonics and going over environmental sounds you may hear at a farm. |

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| **Physical Development**  We have been using playdough to strengthen our fingers and we have practised yoga in class to improve our core strength and balance. |

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| **Maths**  We have enjoyed singing number rhymes and have been counting forwards and backwards. We have been practising counting out objects in the environment. This is known as cardinality (see website). |

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| **Other Learning**  We have been learning about Polar Bears in Science, Geography and Ecology. |

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| **Homework**  **Please re-read the texts we have been focussing on in Literacy. There are hyperlinks to them below if you do not have these texts at home. It may be easier to click on the hyperlink on the website to access these.**  **Please practise counting out objects with your child. Children at this age find the concept of ‘zero’ tricky, so this is helpful if you can practise this too.**  [**https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=grN1Es5z2xY**](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=grN1Es5z2xY)  [**https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=P91gDaqJkXA**](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=P91gDaqJkXA) |

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